



# ATTENTION CONNECTICUT RESIDENTS

## *An Important Message from* **GOVERNOR M. JODI RELL** **Protecting Your Personal Identity**

I want to let you know that we are here to help you protect your personal identity and inform you of steps you can take today to guard against identity theft.

Below is some important contact information to help you learn more about this alarming trend and the resources available to you. I encourage you and your family to monitor your financial information and credit statements. You can start today by filling out the Annual Credit Report Request Form we have provided you and use the resources below to get more information.

## **What You Can Do to Guard Against Identity Theft:**

### **Obtain A Free Credit Report:**

[www.annualcreditreport.com](http://www.annualcreditreport.com)

1-877-322-8228

*Annual Credit Report Request Service*

*P.O. Box 105281*

*Atlanta, GA 30348-5281*

### **GOVERNOR M. JODI RELL**

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[www.ct.gov/governorrell](http://www.ct.gov/governorrell)

### **Visit These Identity Theft Resources on the Internet.**

State of Connecticut: [www.ct.gov](http://www.ct.gov)

Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection:

[www.ct.gov/dcp](http://www.ct.gov/dcp)

The Federal Trade Commission's Identity Theft Website:

[www.consumer.gov/idtheft](http://www.consumer.gov/idtheft)

Privacy Rights Clearinghouse: [www.privacyrights.org](http://www.privacyrights.org)

Identity Theft Resource Center: [www.idtheftcenter.org](http://www.idtheftcenter.org)

Federal Internet Fraud Complaint Center: [www.ifccfbi.gov](http://www.ifccfbi.gov)